

**PATENT APPLICATION**  
**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re application of

Docket No: Q92885

Takehito MIZUNO, et al.

Appln. No.: 10/566,581

Group Art Unit: 1797

Confirmation No.: 5116

Examiner: Krishan S. MENON

Filed: January 31, 2006

For: PROCESS AND APPARATUS FOR MANUFACTURING ZEOLITE MEMBRANE,  
AND ZEOLITE TUBULAR SEPARATION MEMBRANE PROVIDED BY THE  
METHOD

**PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.136**

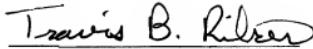
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P.O. Box 1450  
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Sir:

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.136, Applicant hereby petitions for an extension of time of three months, extending the time for responding to the Office Action of January 13, 2009 to July 13, 2009.

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